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Box PATENT APPLICATION
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Re:

APPARATUS FOR METHOD OF RECORDING

A LOCATION OF AN OBJECT HAVING AN EXTERNALLY VIEWABLE IDENTIFIER

Patent Application With Missing Parts LNG File No. 57092.US / C-6315.5

Enclosed is the specification, claims, formal drawings and transmittal letter for a patent application. Because the inventor was not available to execute the oath or declaration, none is submitted herewith. The

inventor's name, address and citizenship is as follows:

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A properly executed declaration will be submitted within the time period set. Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b), the application as filed is entitled to a filing date, and it is respectfully requested that the application

receive a filing date of January 11, 2002, under the Express Mail procedure (37 C.F.R. § 1.10).

Respectfully submitted,

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| First Na | med Inventor                        | Alan Sefton                          | . 6             |
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| 1.                   | BASIC                          | FILING                   | FEE           |  |             | 117  | 920                | 217         | 460         | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |           |
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| -ii 01               | 740                            | 201                      | 370           | Utility filing fee                         | 370         | 119  | 320                | 219         | 160         | Notice of Appeal   |          |           |
| = 06                 | 330                            | 206                      | 165           | Design filing fee                          |             | 120  | 320                | 220         | 160         | Filing a brief in support of appeal  |          |           |
| 107<br>107           | 510                            | 207                      | 255           | Plant filing fee                           |             | 121  | 280                | 221         | 140         | Request for oral hearing   |          |           |
| <u>.</u> 108         | 740                            | 208                      | 370           | Reissue filing fee                         |             | 138  | 1,510              | 138         | 1,510       | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |           |
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|                      | s                              | UBTOTA                   | \L (1)        | (\$)                                       | 370         | 141  | 1,280              | 241         | 640         | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |           |
| 2.                   | EXTRA                          | CLAIM                    | FEES          | Extra Fee from<br>Claims below             | Fee<br>Pald | 142  | 1,280              | 242         | 640         | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |           |
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| 103                  | 18                             | 203                      | 9             | Claims in excess of                        | 20          | 581  | 40                 | 581         | 40          | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |           |
| 102                  | 84                             | 202                      | 42            | Independent claims of 3                    | in excess   | 146  | 740                | 248         | 370         | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                |          |           |
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